

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

<i>In re</i> Application of:	§ BEFORE THE EXAMINER:
Srivatsan Srinivas Iyer	§ Kevin R. Kruer
Serial No.: 10/540,495	§ Group Art Unit No.: 1794
Filed: June 23, 2005	§ Attorney Docket No.: 2003B002/2
For: Elastomeric Polymer Compositions	§ Confirmation No.: 4240
Customer No.: 23455	§ Date: June 16, 2008

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
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**RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 15, 2008, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendments and remarks. No additional fees are believed to be required. However, a formal request for any extension and payment of fees is made below in the event such fees will be necessary.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in a listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 22 of this paper.